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## Before the **Federal Communications Commission** Washington, DC 20554

In the Matter of

Amendment of Section 73.202(b)

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(Coosada, Alabama)

Federal Communications Commission Office of Secretary

MB Docket No. 05-82

RM-11170

To: Marlene H. Dortch, Secretary Attn: Chief, Allocations Branch

## COMMENTS OF TEMPEST COMMUNICATIONS

Tempest Communications ("Petitioner"), by its attorney, hereby submits comments in support of the allotment of Channel 226A at Coosada, Alabama, proposed in the Notice of Proposed Rulemaking released on March 4, 2005 (DA 05-575). In support hereof, Petitioner states as follows:

- The proposal would constitute a first local service to Coosada, a 1. Census community and incorporated town of 1,382 persons. As the Notice points out, Channel 226A can be assigned to Coosada consistent with the Commission's rules with a site restriction of 4.3 kilometers east of Coosada.
- If Channel 226A is allotted to Coosada, Tempest's present intention 2. is to file an application for a construction permit for a station on the channel, and if successful in securing the construction permit, to promptly construct a station on the channel.

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WHEREFORE, the premises considered, the proposed assignment of Channel 226A to Coosada, Alabama should be adopted.

Respectfully submitted,

**TEMPEST COMMUNICATIONS** 

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Date: April 25, 2005

## **CERTIFICATE OF SERVICE**

I, Evelyn Thompson, a secretary at Fletcher, Heald & Hildreth PLC, hereby certify that a true and correct copy of the foregoing "Comments of Tempest Communications" was sent on this 25<sup>th</sup> day of April, 2005, via First-Class United States mail, postage prepaid, or as otherwise specified, to the following:

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